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16 Oct 03

Section I. OFFICIAL

1. Official notices in this bulletin are orders of the command.
2. **DETAILS:** The units listed herein are scheduled for Casualty Notification Officer (CNO) duty on the dates indicated.

CASUALTY NOTIFICATION:

1 Oct 03 to 30 Nov 03 -- AMEDDC&S

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS: Directors/staff section chiefs/commanders will ensure their affected soldiers are notified of changes. The CNO (formerly called Personnel Notification Officer (PNO)) is required to report to the Transition Point, Bldg 2267, on Wed for a briefing prior to going on detail. All SFCs through MAJ are required to notify the Duty Roster Custodian 15 days prior to departing on leave or TDY and 30 days prior to PCS, retirement, or ETS. Personnel scheduled for CNO duty are required to possess a Defensive Driving Course Card and a valid military/civilian driver's permit in order to operate military vehicles in the performance of their duty. Any questions pertaining to these instructions, please contact the Casualty Affairs Office during duty hours, 1-0051/1780. After duty hours contact the AMEDDC&S & FSH Staff Duty, Bldg 367, 1-2810.

3. FSH EQUAL OPPORTUNITY/SEXUAL & HARASSMENT HOTLINE TELEPHONE NUMBER: The AMEDDC&S & FSH Equal Opportunity/Sexual Harassment Hotline number is 5-0647 or DSN 421-0647. The purpose of the hotline is to provide procedural information on the filing of equal opportunity or sexual harassment complaints. The hotline is operational 24 hours a day. Callers may also contact the AMEDDC&S & FSH Equal Opportunity Office at 1-9276, DSN 471-9276, or by fax number 1-1322. The POC is EEO at 1-9276. (MCCS-BEO/1-9276)

4. AUTOMATED OUT-PROCESSING SYSTEM: The Automated Out-Processing System was established to decrease the clearing time and limit soldiers to clearing only those areas they have utilized during their tenure at FSH. Soldiers have a requirement to physically visit or call the Processing Branch at 1-9274, 35 days prior to departure, to schedule their initial appointment (which starts the process working). Soldiers will receive DA Form 137-R, Installation Clearance Record, at their initial briefing. The point of contact is Mr. Agosto, 5-8809. (MCCS-BHR-MI/5-8809)

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5. NEW ENTRANT CONFIDENTIAL FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE REPORT: All commanders and supervisors are required by DOD 5500.7-R (Joint Ethics Regulation) to review the job duties of each newly assigned employee (military or civilian) and report the name of Confidential Financial Disclosure Report, to the AMEDDC&S & FSH Ethics Counselor. The employee is required to file an OGE Form 450 no later than 30 days of assuming his or her new position. Forms are sent to the Office of Staff Judge Advocate, ATTN: MCCS-BJA-AL, 1306 Stanley Road, Stop 19. Note that an employee may not be a new employee, but may be assigned a new duty which now requires the filing of an OGE Form 450. The OGE Form 450 may be obtained from the Intranet at <http://www.cs.amedd.army.mil/sja/Ethics.asp> or from the AMEDD Electronic Forms Support System (AEFSS). The POC is the Ethics Counselor at 1-2373/0485. (MCCS-BJA-/1-2373/0485)

6. COMBINED FEDERAL CAMPAIGN (CFC): The US Army Garrison CFC kickoff will be held at 1400 on 22 October 2003, at the Army Community Service located in the Roadrunner, Bldg 2797. The POC for this information is SFC Oporto, at 5-9080/9084. (MCCS-BHR-PA/5-9080/9084) (2/2)

7. UNAUTHORIZED USE/TRESPASSING IN BLDGS 1000, 2371, AND 2372: In June 2001, Fort Sam Houston entered into a 50-year lease with a private developer, Orion Partners, Inc. for the renovation and reuse of the old Brooke Army Medical Center (BAMC), Bldg 1000, and the south and north wings of the Beach Pavilion Complex, Bldgs 2371 and 2372. These facilities are under the sole care of Orion Partners, Inc. and as such, entry into these facilities or use of the adjacent parking areas is prohibited. Questions concerning these facilities may be addressed to the USAG Business Development Office, 1-2761. (MCCS-BBD/1-2761)

8. LEVEL 1 ANTITERRIOSIM AWARENESS TRAINING SCHEDULE: Following are the scheduled dates for the OCONUS Level 1 Antiterrorism Awareness Training for Jan-Dec 2003. Scheduled training dates are subject to change due to availability of instructor, or mission requirements. All training starts at designated times located next to the dates and will last approximately 2.5 hours. Training will be held in Blesse Auditorium of (building 2841).

ATTENTION: ANTITERRIOSIM CLASS FOR 10 SEP HAS BEEN CANCELED.

05 NOV	0900-1130
10 DEC	0900-1130

The purpose of publishing the above schedule is to allow DOD personnel to arrange their work or personal schedules in order to attend one of the Antiterrorism Awareness Training Sessions. This training is for travel outside the 50 United States, its territories, and possessions; and is valid for a period of one year. Subsequent travel within this year period requires the traveler to obtain area/country specific information within **two** months of travel. There are approximately 50 personnel assigned to Fort Sam Houston who have attended a Unit Advisors Course who may be certified as an Antiterrorism Awareness Instructor. Each command/unit/activity that has the responsibility to brief their personnel. Each command should review DOD Instruction 2000.16, DOD Antiterrorism Standards, June 14, 2001, concerning their specific responsibilities and requirements. The POC is Mr. Lewis, 1-5022/1637. (MCCS-BHR-SS 1-5022/1637).

9. NEW HOURS OF OPERATION FOR LEGAL ASSISTANCE: Beginning on 1 April 2003, the Fort Sam Houston Legal Assistance Office located in Bldg 134 on Stanley Road will be available for walk in consultations with an attorney from 0900-1100, Monday, Thursday, and Friday. Active duty personnel **in uniform** will have priority. Walk-in wills service will be provided on Wednesdays starting in the mornings from 0900-1100 and continuing in the afternoon from 1330-1530.

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Scheduled appointments are available one week in advance based on the availability of attorneys' schedules. Notary service and power of attorney services are available from 0800–1600, Monday through Friday. THE ABOVE HOURS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO MISSION REQUIREMENTS. For further information, please call 1-2353/2282.

10. CAREER STATUS BONUS (CSB): In accordance with Career Status Bonus (CSB) Implementing Guidance, military personnel with a Date Initially Entered Military Service (DIEMS) on or after 1 August 1986, need to attend a briefing to obtain sufficient information to make an informed retirement decision. The briefing will be held at Transition Services, Bldg 2267, from 0900 until 1100 on the following dates:

18 Nov 03 and 9 Dec 03.

The POC for reservations and information is Mr. Dixon, 1-2467 or Mrs. White, 1-0936.

11. HAND RECEIPT HOLDER TRAINING: Material Management Section, Property Management Branch, Supply and Services Division, Readiness and Logistics Business Center, will be conducting Primary Hand Receipt Holder's training on 23 Oct 03. The training will be held at the MEDCOM Contracting Center Training Room, Bldg 4197, located on 17th Street and Wilson Street. Training will be conducted from 0800-1000 each day. Class size is limited to 30 people. To make a reservation, contact Charles E. Lomax/295-4308, Alicia Torres/221-4067, or your hand receipt manager.

12. FORT SAM HOUSTON NEWCOMERS' EXTRAVAGANZA: The Garrison Commander cordially requests the attendance of all Fort Sam Houston residents, especially newcomers to the Fort Sam Houston community, at the Newcomers' Extravaganza. The Extravaganza will be held at 0900 on 28 October 2003 at the Roadrunner Community Center. Everyone—soldiers, civilians, and family members—will have an opportunity to learn about Fort Sam Houston and San Antonio and participate in drawings, registrations, and social activities. This Extravaganza is the official "Newcomers' Orientation" for Fort Sam Houston. Commanders and supervisors are encouraged to allow soldiers and civilian employees administrative time to attend. Children are welcome at the Extravaganza. Strollers are available and special treats will be provided. Attendance to the Newcomers' Extravaganza is mandatory for all permanent party inprocessing soldiers, LTC and below, within 60 days of their arrival. For additional information, call Army Community Service at 221-2705/2418. (MCCS-BCA-CA/1-2705/2418) (1/2)

13. ANNUAL TEXAS TECHNOLOGY SHOW: The annual Texas Technology Show will be held on 29 October 2003 at the Randolph AFB Enlisted Club and on 30 October 2003 at the Lackland AFB Gateway Club. Both shows are from 1000-1400. This event is free to all personnel. Extensive catering will be provided so everyone will have more time to see exhibits. Major technology companies will demonstrate the latest, and "best of show" computers, related hardware, and accessories. These shows are the perfect forum for IT users, buyers, and planners to discuss requirements and future IT challenges with knowledgeable Federal Sales Representatives. Take advantage of having so many companies at one place at one time to compare options and solutions—a proven win-win for everyone. For more information call toll-free 1-888-282-2262, e-mail: info@atc-expo.com or see www.atc-expo.com/shows. (1/3)

14. YOUTH AND WISDOM BASKETBALL GAME: The Installation Chaplains Office is sponsoring a Youth and Wisdom Basketball Game on 18 October 2003 from 1700 to 2100. The location is the basketball courts on Stanley Road (past the JAG office almost to Wilson Street). Everyone is

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welcome to attend. Hamburgers, hot dogs, and lots more goodies will be provided. The POC for this information is J.C. Strong at 650-4710 or Robb Wood at 221-5428. (MCCS-BCH/1-5428) (4/4)

15. FY 2004 OFFICER CANDIDATE SCHOOL (OCS) SELECTION BOARDS: PERSCOM has announced the dates for the next years OCS Selection Boards (FY04). All interested soldiers must complete application packets and send them to the Personnel Management Branch by the application suspense dates listed below.

APPLICATION SUSPENSE

24 March 2004
28 July 2004

OCS BOARD DATES

7 April 2004
11 August 2004

The POC for complete OCS application information is Mr. Gaines, Personnel Management Branch, Bldg 2263, Room B99, 1-1839. (MCCS-BHR-MM/1-1839)

16. TRICARE 2003 BRIEFINGS: TRICARE is the Military Health Care System that covers Active Duty and Family members under age 65 and Retirees and Family Members age 65 and older. Information will be available at the following facilities to discuss the health care options for TRICARE beneficiaries by age groups.

BRIEFINGS FOR THOSE UNDER AGE 65

Randolph AFB in the Ballroom at the Family Support Center, 555 F St West (for evening briefings, please park and enter from rear off E St W)

12 November 2003 from 1300-1500

BRIEFINGS FOR THOSE NEARING AGE 65, AGE 65 AND OVER

Fort Sam Houston-Brooke Army Medical Center Auditorium, 4th Floor

10 December 2003 from 1700-1900

For additional questions regarding these briefings, please call 1-800-406-2832 or visit our website at www.hnfs.net.

17. COUNTERINTELLIGENCE AND SECURITY ANNOUNCEMENT: "ATTENTION: DO NOT PROCESS, STORE OR TRANSMIT CLASSIFIED INFORMATION ON NONSECURE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS. OFFICIAL DOD TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS -- INCLUDING TELEPHONES, FACSIMILE MACHINES, COMPUTER NETWORKS, AND MODEMS -- ARE SUBJECT TO MONITORING FOR TELECOMMUNICATIONS SECURITY PURPOSES AT ALL TIMES. USE OF OFFICIAL DOD TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS CONSTITUTES CONSENT TO TELECOMMUNICATIONS SECURITY MONITORING." The POC is Mr. William Francis, Chief, Counterintelligence and Security, Fort Sam Houston, 1-1906. (3/3)

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